

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (currently amended) A synthetic resin multilayer structure (1) delimited by a top face-(2), borders-(3, 5) and a bottom face-(4) of surface area substantially identical to that of the top face-(2), said structure-(1) comprising:
 - a first layer-(6) defining said faces-(2, 4) and said borders-(3, 5),
 - a second layer-(7), disposed between said faces-(2, 4) and said borders-(3, 5), of surface area at least equal to that of said faces-(2, 4),
characterized in that wherein the second layer-(7) forms at least one zigzag-shaped double fold-(8, 9).
2. (currently amended) The multilayer structure-(1) as claimed in claim 1, possessing an axis of symmetry.
3. (currently amended) The multilayer structure-(1) as claimed in claim 1, containing a central orifice passing through said structure.
4. (currently amended) The multilayer structure-(1) as claimed in claim 3,
characterized in that wherein it forms a tube shoulder.
5. (currently amended) The multilayer structure-(1) as claimed in claim 1,
characterized in that wherein a free end of the second layer-(7) is in contact with the outer side of the structure at the level of one of said faces-(2, 4).
6. (currently amended) The multilayer structure-(1) as claimed in claim 5, in which a free end of the second layer-(7) is in contact with the outer side of the structure at the level of the top face-(2), whereas the other free end of the second layer-(7) is in contact with the outer side of the structure at the level of the bottom face-(4).

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7. (currently amended) The multilayer structure-(1) as claimed in claim 1,
~~characterized in that wherein~~ the second layer-(7) itself forms a multilayer structure
comprising a layer of barrier resin imprisoned between two layers of adhesive resin.

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